

Cards, Dancing, Kiefer's Hall, March 27th

Dave Sutherland Elected Reeve New Municipal Unit

At the first meeting of the new council of Wainwright M.D. No. 392, held on March 13 at Wainwright, Mr. Dave Sutherland of Division 3 was appointed reeve and Mr. H. E. Spencer of Division 2, deputy reeve. Mr. H. Taylor, former secretary-treasurer of Gilt Edge M.D., was appointed secretary-treasurer. Mr. Charles Wilbraham, of Battle River M.D., assistant, and Miss McCloskey of Chauvin, stenographer. The office at Irma is now closed.

TEACHERS' MEETING

The March meeting of the teachers of the Irma sub-school was held in the Irma high school on March 7. The president, Mr. DeTro, was in the chair. There were fifteen members present.

Mr. Watkin, supervisor of the Wainwright division, gave a talk on "The Aims of the Teachers in the Modern School." In his talk he gave a very practical philosophy of the present day education. His remarks were very much to the point and contained none of the technical terms we meet with in many of the lectures heard elsewhere.

A short discussion period was held after Mr. Watkin's talk. Lunch was served after the adjournment of the meeting.

The W.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Axel Peterson on Friday, March 27, at 2:30 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all members and friends.

News of Our Boys

Bob Simmermon was home from the Meleed air station on short leave last Saturday.

Percy Prosser arrived home on leave on Wednesday, March 18.

Y.P.U. REPORT

The last meeting of the Irma Y.P.U. Union was held on March 12. It was under the leadership of Mina Currie, convener of Fellowship group.

During the devotional part of the meeting, a prayer was given by Ruby Carrington and the scripture was read by Kathleen Jones. A very interesting topic was then given by Winnie Reeves on "Fellowship," which was very much enjoyed by all.

It was decided during the business part of the meeting to have the variety concert on March 31 instead of March 24 as previously announced.

The program consisted of: Reading, Mina Currie; solo, Doris Shotts; dialogue, "With the Help of the Family," Marjorie Webber, Muriel Wilbraham, Mina Currie, Niel McMillan, Jack Stead and Lorne Raham; piano solo, by Jack Stead being encored, he played a second selection.

The young people then retired to the basement where games were played and a delicious lunch of jelly and whipped cream, cookies and coffee was served.

The meeting closed with "God Save the King."

A tablespoon of granulated sugar mixed with the fat or meat drippings of a pot roast gives the roast a brown color and adds flavor to the stock and gravy.

Review of Junior Hockey For Season

The curtain has fallen on another season of hockey so it seems the appropriate time to review the activities of the Irma Junior hockey club during the winter.

In all during the winter the Juniors played 14 games. A record of the games follows:

Dec. 24—Farmers 3, Juniors 9.
Jan. 5—Holden 7, Juniors 2.
Jan. 10—Holden 1, Juniors 2.
Jan. 15—Orbindale 2, Juniors 4.
Jan. 20—Alma Mater 2, Jun's 2.
Jan. 23—Killam 3, Juniors 4.
Jan. 26—Sedgewick 6, Jun's 5.
Jan. 29—Killam 9, Juniors 1.
Jan. 31—Sedgewick 1, Jun's 5.
Feb. 3—Holden 4, Juniors 2.
Feb. 6—Alma Mater 2, Jun's 6.
Feb. 14—Holden 3, Juniors 5.
Feb. 28—Vermilion 4, Juniors 4.
Mar. 11—Vegreville 7, Jun's 3.

Scoring statistics for the team are as follows:

	G.	A.	Pts.
Parsons	11	10	21
Jones	13	6	19
McFarland	9	9	18
Elford	3	9	12
Meyers	3	4	7
Carter	2	4	6
Knudson	3	2	5
Raham	1	2	3
Stead	2	1	3
Kozak	0	2	2
McKay	1	0	1

And now with hockey over for another year the Juniors wish to thank all those who found the team worthy of support during the winter. The club wishes also to thank those who helped in the transportation of the team.

After battling mud for some three or four hours the Juniors finally arrived in Vegreville about 8 o'clock on the evening of March 11.

1941 provincial Junior B championships. The game ended in a 7-3 victory for the Vegreville boys. However, considering the energy the Irma boys had expended in the mud and the fact their belts were anything but tight (incidentally the boys indulged in a sumptuous supper at approximately 1 o'clock Thursday morning) the score was quite acceptable.

Vegreville scored first in the game but shortly after Knudson scored on a pass from Jones to tie the score at 1-1. Early in the 2nd period Parsons scored on a neat pass from Carter, but after considerable dispute the play was ruled off-side.

With the Vegreville boys leading 4-3 going into the last half of the third period the Irma boys threw caution to the winds in a vain attempt to tie the score. The Vegreville boys were quick to take advantage of the breaks to score three more goals.

Other marksmen for Irma were Parsons from McFarland and Meyers from Carter.

VACCINATION OF HORSES IS ADVISED

Alberta farmers are again warned by department of agriculture veterinarians that there is danger of an outbreak of sleeping sickness this year, and that early vaccination of horses with "chick" vaccine will prevent any outbreak developing into epidemic proportions. Cases reported last year came from widely separated sections of this province, indicating wide infection. It is now generally accepted that humans may contract the disease, so vaccination becomes a matter of national concern, in addition to a growing economic factor in the nation at war.

W.C.T.U. PRIZES

Late advice from the Canadian W.C.T.U. scientific temperance contest gives out the information that of the national prizes Alberta was awarded one-half for health books, one-half for reference books, one-half for essays and one-third for posters, besides being accorded one-third of the names on the list of honorable mentions.

Irmas share of the above honors is a prize for Curtis Sastre's grade ten essay, and the highest honorable mention below the prize list for Muriel Wilbraham.

Hospital Minutes

HOSPITAL BOARD APPOINTS TRUSTEE GOULD CHAIRMAN

The regular monthly meeting of the board of trustees of the Wainwright municipal hospital district No. 17 was held at the hospital on March 14, 1942.

Trustees present—Chairman J. D. Collette, trustees Mrs. H. Washburn, O. Gould, D. Gardiner, L. Oxy.

Moved by trustee Gould—That the minutes of the last regular meeting be adopted. Cd.

Upon a ballot being taken trustee Gould was elected chairman for the ensuing year.

Upon a ballot being taken trustee Collette was elected vice-chairman for the ensuing year.

The following committees were appointed:

Building, grounds, house and property—trustees Collette, Mrs. Washburn, Gardiner and Oxy. Finance committee—trustees Mrs. Washburn and Oxy.

Moved by trustee Gardiner—That Mr. Chas. Horn be appointed auditor for the ensuing year, at the usual fee of \$50.00 plus \$10.00 for mailing 10 per cent of patients accounts for verification. Alternative auditor, Mr. R. English, Cd.

Moved by trustee Oxy—That letters received from Dr. J. T. Johnson and Dr. McGugan be filed for future reference. Cd.

Moved by trustee Gardiner—That the resignation of Miss K. Gilmore be accepted and a letter of recommendation be given. Cd.

Moved by trustee Mrs. Washburn—That chairman sign rider attached to policy No. 16194 re Globe Indemnity Co. Cd.

Moved by trustee Gardiner—That matron's report be accepted. Cd.

Moved by trustee Mrs. Washburn—That the report of the finance committee be accepted, the bank book and ledger having been examined and found correct. Cd.

Moved by trustee Gardiner—That matron be granted leave of absence April 6th and 7th to attend the nurses' convention in Edmonton. Cd.

Moved by trustee Collette—That accounts amounting to \$1492.35 be accepted and cheques issued. Cd.

Moved by trustee Collette—That the meeting adjourn. The next regular meeting to be held April 11th, 1942.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Julius Stougard arrived home from the coast last Tuesday evening.

Killam five-man V.V.R. team again made a perfect score of 500 in the February competition. Irma again came second with a score of 495. Bashaw and Jasper tied for third place, score 492. There were eleven teams in the five-man competition. Among the seven-man teams, Gadsby, Ponoka Hospital and Rocky Rapids tied for first place with a score of 687. Wainwright won second place with 684.

Owing to the resignation of Mr. Charles Wilbraham as secretary-treasurer of the Irma branch of the Canadian Red Cross society before he left for Wainwright to take over his new duties, a Red Cross meeting was held on March 17 and Mr. R. H. Ott was appointed to the position of secretary-treasurer.

The March meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held Thursday, March 26 at 3 p.m. A brief study of the constitution will be undertaken. Another topic on the program will be the effects of the cigarette, as presented by Col. Sanctuary.

Misses Catherine Patterson and Dorothy Currie, who have been attending Normal school this winter, will start teaching in the Wainwright division on March 23. Miss Patterson at Lynx school and Miss Currie at a school near Wainwright.

Fruit cake makes delicious pudding served with either hard or hot sauce. Steam the fruit cake before serving.

Store mayonnaise in a cool but not too cold place in the refrigerator. If chilled mayonnaise is apt to separate.

Salvage Notes

STUDENTS' UNION TO COLLECT SALVAGE

The Students' Union of the Irma high school is beginning a salvage drive. During the Easter holidays students will call at your home to collect scrap materials. Please save the following types of scrap: newspapers, books and magazines, cardboard boxes, waste paper, rendered fats, rubber, light metals (aluminum, copper, brass, zinc, bronze, and lead), foils, and mixed rags. Do not roll foil into balls. Tooth paste and other tubes should be kept separate.

In the Village of Irma, students will collect your scrap metals on Saturday, March 28. If students fail to call on you, please notify Ross McFarland or Henry Kasten.

CARD OF THANKS

I take this opportunity to thank all the electors who supported me in the Municipal District of Wainwright election of February 26, and who made it possible for me to serve the district as councillor of Division 3. Assuring you that I will work to the interests of the District and soliciting the co-operation of all.

Dave Sutherland.

VIKING ITEMS

ALTA FARMERS' UNION HAS SUCCESSFUL MEET

The Alberta Farmers' Union meeting held in the Elks hall last Friday was successful, although not very well attended owing to the confusion caused by the mix-up in dates by the central office, clashing with the local meeting advertised for Saturday, March 14.

The speakers were Mr. Jas. Jackson, Irma, and Mr. J. Melnick, Warwick. Mr. Melnick was the first speaker and outlined briefly the organization from the beginning in 1938. He also spoke of the amalgamation efforts at the annual convention, stressing the need of one Canadian farmers' union so as to assure a just deal for agriculture, and a safe harbour for our boys when they return. Something they can be satisfied with, something that will hold them on the farm. And now is the time to wake up to our responsibilities to them.

Mr. Jackson, who spoke next, came right out fighting and told the farmers they had better wake up and wake up fast. He gave a detailed account of the farmers' delegation to Ottawa and thought that a better understanding now existed between East and West, and that some good had been done, but that we shouldn't rest on that but organize 100 per cent and so be able to make our farms a place to really live on not just exist. Owing to the small attendance Mr. Jackson has promised to come back after seeding.

N. C. Graham was a business visitor in Edmonton the first of the week.

Miss Pat Leigh is home from Calgary enjoying a holiday from her duties in the head office of the Bank of Montreal in that city.

Pte. Allan Jones, who went overseas last fall is reported back in Calgary invalided home on account of illness.

W. H. Empey was re-elected as chairman, and W. J. Kelly vice-chairman of the Viking municipal hospital board at the meeting of the board held last Saturday.

Mrs. Mabel McLeod is a patient at the local hospital.



Church News

UNITED CHURCH

Irma—Sunday school 11 a.m.
Public worship 7:30 p.m.
A hearty invitation is extended to all.

ANGELICAN CHURCH

Regular afternoon service Sunday, March 22nd, 2:30 p.m.
Lenten service every Thursday evening, 7:30 p.m.

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FOR SALE—Some good work horses. R. L. Shotts, phone 615. 6-13-20-p

FOR SALE—Monitor vaneless windmill, 30 ft tower. B. T. Oldham & Son, Irma. 13-20p

FOR SALE—Or will trade for a milk cow, one seven year old gelding. A. E. Knudson, Irma. 13-20c

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, either purebred New Hampshire or White Leghorns at 10c each. Anyone interested please or come to see me. Mrs. Dean Stinson, Irma. 20-27p



in aid of Red Cross FRIDAY, MARCH 27th

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Men's Chrome Elk Shoe. Heavy sole, sewn and brass tacked. All features of above line. One week only at 3.95

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JUBILEE COFFEE 1 lb. pkg. 52c

FRY'S COCOA 1 pound 35c

BAKING POWDER, Blue Ribbon, 3 lbs. 63c

COR FLAKES, free tumbler while they last 3 pkgs. for 25c

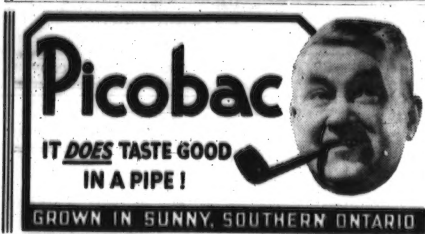
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The Realities Of War

In newspaper articles, and in talks over the radio, the statement has been frequently made that many people in Canada have not yet become fully war conscious, or that the full import of the seriousness of the war has not yet been realized. That because we are so far removed from the scene of the conflict, we have been unable to appreciate its full significance. There may be a very small minority who view this world tragedy with apparent apathy, but one ventures to believe that the vast majority of our citizens have a full realization of what Canada is fighting for, and what defeat for the Allied cause would mean. Since the entry of Japan into the conflict on the side of our enemies, the war 'if anything has been brought closer to our shores, and the initial successes of Japan have greatly increased our danger. For the first time since the beginning of the war the enemy has been operating submarines off the coasts of this continent, and survivors of sunken vessels have landed on our east coast. Residents of Western Canada are fully aware of the dangers besetting our Pacific coast.

Facing The Situation

If anything further were needed to bring to the average citizen a more complete understanding of the serious conditions which we are facing, it is the ever increasing need for the conservation of the ordinary necessities of life. No one in whatever station he may occupy, can fail to be affected in one way or another by this shortage. Being fully aware of this need for conservation, it can be assumed that we shall meet the situation with a minimum of complaint. Those of us who for various legitimate reasons, are unable to bear arms in the defence of democracy, will have small reason to complain, when we consider the brave men of our armed forces. These men, many of whom have already made the supreme sacrifice, have not hesitated to leave the security of their homes and to go forth to meet the enemy.

The magnificent support that was accorded the second Victory Loan would indicate very clearly that the people of Canada have a keen appreciation of the necessity for furthering our war effort, and for providing the needed equipment for our armed forces. A significant feature of the loan was the number of small investors, indicating in a great many cases that many people of small means have made real sacrifices in their endeavor to furnish the sinews of war. Many stories appeared in the press during the progress of the campaign, some quite pathetic, of poor people who invested their meagre life savings in the cause of freedom.

For A Greater Effort

The time has long since passed when any thinking man can afford to adopt a smug attitude in respect to the progress of the war. It is not sufficient for us to pin our faith on the successful outcome of the struggle. It is true that we cannot conceive of any alternative other than that we defeat the enemy. But the war is not going to be won by any wishful thinking. It is going to mean that we cannot relegate our responsibilities to some mythical other fellow, but that each one of us will be required to put forth every effort, either voluntarily or forcibly, if we are to win this fight. We find ourselves, engaged with a ruthless enemy whose declared aim is to dominate the world. If we are to retain our freedom and our democratic way of life then no sacrifice will be too great for us to make. Canada has no reason to feel ashamed of the part she has already played in the prosecution of the war, but still greater effort will be needed to win the victory which will ensure to us the retention of our religious freedom, the right of free speech, and the preservation of the ideals which freedom-loving people have always cherished.

Proved Its Efficiency

Ontario Office Worker Invented A Machine For Sealing Envelopes
Charles A. Shupe, former member of the staff of the Rural Hydro Office, Simcoe, Ont., will long be remembered by employees of the present staff for his invention of an envelope sealing machine which has proved its efficiency.

Preliminary tests revealed the effectiveness of the machine although alterations were necessary. The staff was confronted with the task of sealing several thousand envelopes and decided to use the machine. Timing the sealing operation, 40 envelopes were properly sealed in one minute.

Tarakan Island, Borneo, now in Japanese hands, was one of the Netherlands Indies' chief petroleum sources.

Don't Let Your Liver Make You an Invalid

People who are of colour say they're liverish or their liver is bad! Do you know how serious this is—that it may lead to permanent ill health—your whole system poisoned and broken down?

① Your liver is the largest organ in your body and most important to your health. It supplies energy to muscles, tissues and glands. If unhealthy, your body lacks this energy and becomes enfeebled—youthful vim disappears. Again your liver pours out bile to digest food, get rid of waste and allow proper nourishment to reach your blood. When your liver gets out of order proper digestion is impossible. You stop—your body is poisoned with the waste that decomposes in your intestines. Nervous troubles and rheumatic pains arise from this poison. You become constipated, stomach and kidneys can't work properly. The whole system is affected and you feel "run-down," head-achy, back-achy, dizzy, tired out—a ready prey for sickness and disease.

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Mrs. J. H. Lillmore, Montreal, P.Q.

R.C.A.F. Students

List Of Graduates From Schools In Western Canada

The following students, whose homes are in Western Canada, graduated from the following schools:
No. 4 Service Flying Training School, Saskatoon, Sask. February 27, (Pilots)—LAC D. J. MacLise, Wadena, Sask.; LAC D. J. McIntosh, Souris, Man.; LAC C. Tuma, Churchbridge, Sask.; LAC A. Wareham, Rivers, Man.; LAC J. A. Wilson, Birtle, Man.; LAC W. J. Yahnitsky, Mikado, Sask.; LAC G. M. Young, Unity, Sask.

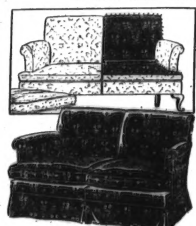
No. 5 Bombing and Gunnery School, Dafoe, Sask. Feb. 17, (Air Gunners)—LAC H. B. Gwynn, Punnichy, Sask.; LAC W. K. Hamilton, Vista, Man.; LAC R. A. Livingston, Rosthern, Man.; LAC F. W. Skinner, Morris, Man.; LAC C. A. Walsh, Lintlaw, Sask.

No. 3 Bombing and Gunnery School, Macdonald, Man. Feb. 28, (Air Observers)—LAC A. T. Blech, Bruderheim, Alta.; LAC P. F. Creech, Lloydminster, Sask.

No. 7 Bombing and Gunnery School, Paulson, Man. Feb. 28, (Air Observers)—LAC D. E. Browne, Lashburn, Sask.; LAC A. G. Brown, Colette, Sask.; LAC B. A. Moffatt, Greig, Man.; LAC G. B. Robb, Exton, Sask.; LAC K. Stenbratkin, Kincaid, Sask.; LAC T. S. Taylor, Crystal City, Man.

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164—"Party Games For All Occasions"

105—"How to Make Rock Gardens and Lily Pools"

172—"Effective Phrases For All Occasions"

The Ideal Way

The housewife's dream, to say nothing of the husband: Dishes washed without dishcloths and dried without tea towels. In British war factories, the kitchens which serve the factory "commons" wash the dishes with sprays of hot and cold water and dry them with a hot spray. After the hot spray, the dishes dry when they hit the cold air. Also, it is a cleaner drying.

According To Book

The young bride served up her first pie.
"Is it nice, dear?" she asked hubby.
"No ducks. It's terrible!"
"That just shows how much you know about it! The cookery book says it's tasty and delicious!"

Was Too Smart

"Do you keep writing-pads?"
"Ha, ha!" the fresh storekeeper said. "I don't keep them—I sell them!"
"Well," retorted the inquirer, "you can keep the one I was going to buy."

Very little attention need be given the generator and starting motor bearings of an automobile if they are treated to a few drops of good oil at regular intervals.

The Individual Citizen's Army

A Weekly Column About This And That In The Canadian Army.
By Alan Maurice Irwin

Once upon a time the cockiest looking soldier you would encounter was the Highlander, characterized by the swing of his kilt and his glistening white spats.

Today kilts are very seldom seen and the palm for cockiness has to be awarded to the Tank Corps man who wears his beret at a cocky angle and walks the streets with an air reminiscent of Kipling's cat to whom all places are alike.

All places are alike to him. From the steel-walled turret of his tank he looks at everything he encounters with the unbiased, unembarrassed and unworried look of a man who knows he can brush aside any barrier, surmount any obstacle.

In the interests of the readers of this column I made an investigation into what makes a "tanker" tick a few days ago.

Because I am not as young as I used to be and, therefore, a mite on the clumsy side I have a few assorted bruises to report that the young, fit, well-trained tank man would not. Perhaps I'd better begin at the beginning.

The Commandant of the Training Centre said—his eyes may have been twinkling. I couldn't see because of the shine on his glasses—"we'll have a tank brought round for you to look at."

That was all right. But it didn't stop at that. When the tank arrived—all 30 tons of it—a helpful sergeant poked his head out of the driver's hatch and said: "Shall I take the gentlemen for a ride, sir?"

Bob Bowman of the C.B.C. was the reason for the plural. We looked at each other. We looked at the sergeant. There was no mistake about the twinkle in his eye.

We climbed in. By the time I had hoisted a middle-aged leg over the rim of the gun turret I seemed an awful distance from the ground.

A slightly hysterical major, who roared with laughter from start to finish of the ride, advised me to stand on the gunner's stool with my head and shoulders in the open. "You'll see more from there," I felt more, too. And every time I looked inside during the quarter of an hour that we careered up hill and down dale there was the major, wedged in a corner of the gun turret, cackling horribly at my wild attempts to lessen the force of the buffets delivered by the plunging iron hippopotamus.

The tank man, to judge by my reactions, has a sense of power and invincibility as he advances steadily with a disregard for anything confronting him that no other soldier feels. Certainly I never felt it in France a quarter of a century ago.

Once you have safely clambered out of the tank after your first trip you realize that you have never had such a feeling of safety in any mode of travel before. It didn't seem quite the same when the driver put on speed, hurtled down a steep bank, rolled a few boulders aside, took a ditch in stride, climbed the side slope of a hill, turned in his tracks and charged down it again and headed straight for a tall and very thick-looking tree.

After the first tree it was different. You don't dodge any more and you get that feeling that it doesn't matter what stands in your way. Then you have time to realize that your mobile fortress is giving you a degree of safety you didn't know existed. Instead of a copse of saplings such as we ploughed through you imagine a woods full of hostile machine-guns and you know that their bullets will splatter harmlessly on the steel hull of your tank.

You know, too, that the crew of well-trained "tankers" under battle conditions will be spraying the ground ahead of them with shells and machine-gun bullets at a far faster rate than the best fire-power concentrated in any attacks in other wars.

It all adds up to a feeling of jauntness and by the time your first ride comes to an end you feel like tipping your hat to one side and "walking with an air."

But that jauntness is an assured and sensible one, not a "devil-may-care" attitude. Tanks and the myriad other cross-country vehicles our boys

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Desire To Do Cooking
Lord Woolton tells me that people are always asking him if he can cook. His answer is that he cannot.

He adds: "There was once a sausage shop at the back of the Bank of England. A man asked the owner to lend him 5s. 'I'm sorry,' answered the sausage-maker. 'The Bank of England and I have an understanding. I agree not to lend money and the bank agrees not to make sausages.'"

"That," says Lord Woolton, "is my position. I leave the cooking to the experts—the British housewives."



The cathedral at La Paz, Bolivia, can accommodate 12,000 worshippers.



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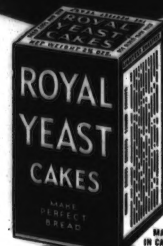
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CHAPTER XIII

"Can you tell me, please," a deep voice came from the big four-posted bed, "is this Heaven?" Christopher Sande made a movement as though to sit up, but reconsidering, sank back to the white pillow.

"Feeling better?" Tamar asked softly. "Sorry to disappoint you, air, but you're still in Georgia."

Sande touched the bandage about his head, being careful not to disturb the position of his right shoulder. "There was a loud crashing noise, and that's all I remember."

"It's just as well. That was late yesterday afternoon."

Sande had slept fitfully during the night, moaning in his half-unconscious state. Knox Randolph had spent most of the night sitting in the chair which she now occupied.

"I'm putting you to a lot of trouble. Am I going to live?" he grinned. "Now don't keep anything from me!"

Tamar smiled. "You'll be back at the Cricket Hill before this time next week. Dr. Forrester said. Lie still, now. Can you eat a little breakfast?"

"Well—no. I hardly think so. But never mind, I'll make up for it later!" His eyes roved over the room. It was a pretty place, but a little feminine for the occupancy of a rough engineer, like himself, he thought with humor.

The next three days he was kept to his bed by Dr. Forrester. Tamar read to him.

Their conversation touched upon many subjects and Tamar felt that she had known him for years. The fourth day Aristotele and Phoebe helped him downstairs to the little

breakfast room where Tamar found him when she came down. She saw the newspaper propped up in front of the host's chair and thinking it was her father, she said: "You're late this morning, aren't you?"

The paper moved. "Better late than never!"

Tamar laughed. "How did you ever get down those stairs by yourself?"

"Phoebe and her offspring helped me. Aristotele pulled and Phoebe pushed. We made it just before I collapsed." He grinned at her engagingly. "As a matter of fact, I feel disgustingly healthy this morning. I'm afraid I'll have to go back to work."

"It's too bad!" She touched the little silver bell at her place.

Phoebe came in with a tray of frosted orange juice in tall glasses. Tamar sat across the small table from Christopher, her eyes studying his face. The swelling had receded from his brow, but his right arm was still in its sling.

Christopher saw the tiny blue-veined tracery about her temples, noticed with pleasure the softness of her white hands. Her black hair lay in small curls about her forehead, flaunting the efforts of her brush.

And she was in white again. Another white linen dress. For the first time in his life, Christopher Sande had been conscious of a girl's wearing apparel.

Tamar wore blue occasionally, but she was loveliest in white. A row of blue wooden buttons marched down the front of the dress, and her eyes beneath the black lashes reflected their blueness.

The small hands moved quickly with the covered sifter. She poured amber-colored coffee, served golden toast and perfectly poached eggs.

"Phoebe is a marvel," Sande sighed. "My stay here has completely disrupted my morale. I don't want to leave. Do I have to?"

Tamar's lashes swept down over eyes that must have leaped. "Do you have to go?" she repeated his question, this time for his answer.

"Why not stay on at Shadwell?"

"I'd never get anything done at Cricket Hill! Much as I'd like to live here the rest—"

"I'd be broke, quickly. 'What's the news from the mine, Tamar?'"

"Every thing is running smoothly. Of course, the mine is anxious for you to get back, but I should say that the work is progressing."

After breakfast they strolled out to the terrace. Here a white green-striped umbrella shaded big chairs and a small round table. Tamar had handed him a can in the hallway, and he leaned against her arm.

Tamar helped him into the chair and picked up a magazine. "This has all of the latest world news condensed into quick reading. This is the first copy. It came while you were in bed. I'll run up and make Mother comfortable, and be back down in a minute."

As Tamar hurried up the stairs, the telephone rang. "I'll take it up here," she called down to Phoebe who stirred in the kitchen hall.

"Tam?" Ransome Todd's voice said. "May I come out tonight?"

"Tonight, Ranny?"

"Yes, tonight, Tamar," he repeated. "Of course. Come right on from your office. And we'll have dinner."

"I can't quite make it that early, but I'll be over for dinner."

Tamar walked slowly into her room. She sat down on the edge of her bed. Ranny would choose tonight. And there were so few evenings left when she could have Christopher Sande all to herself. Even now, she had to divide his time with her father; and yes, even Phoebe and Aristotele who had become his willing slave.

Of course, Ranny knew that Christopher was here. She made a sharp movement and sat up stiffly. That's why he hadn't called this week! And she reminded herself that she hadn't even missed him.

Days without Ransome Todd calling at Shadwell! The thing was incredible. Tamar recalled the last time she had seen him. He had acted downright hateful! She told herself, using one of Phoebe's favorite expressions.

She rose and went into her mother's room. "Mother, I've not meant to neglect you!" she murmured to Maria Randolph.

"Phoebe indicated there were goings-on between you and that young engineer, Tamar. She thinks you're on the verge of a great romance. Is there anything to it?" Maria was not just sure that she wanted a romance between Christopher Sande and her lovely daughter. Love could be so cruelly misplaced if it were not properly guided into the right channels.

Tamar's voice said breathlessly: "Phoebe has her head in the clouds most of the time. I can't see how

she ever mixes a recipe, without having most of the ingredients missing."

"I'm going to fix a seat for you outside and Dad can carry you down for a sunbath this morning."

Maria wondered if Tamar had seen the gradual change in her or if by the very fact that she saw her almost hourly that there had been no visible change.

Quickly Maria sought to keep her mind from the subject. "Did Phoebe give you a good breakfast? And how is Mr. Sande this morning?"

"He's reading the new magazine out on the lawn, and he also a hearty breakfast, as though he'd been riding to hounds—or—" her voice trailed off. She remembered red-jacketed men on splendid horses, the baying of hounds, the sound of a horn, hooves flying. What horses! The flashing colors of sleeky coated animals. Long-legged symmetry, deep chested, long-bodied speed, kings, proudly lifting their noble heads to strain forward in powerful drive.

The hunt breakfast! Tam knew that her own memories were heavily spiced with old Gran's tales of the earlier days in the Big House.

Maria Randolph knew what chain of associations her daughter's broken sentence had brought. Tamar had reminded the love of the old, in the Big House, and had often declared that she was the physical embodiment of that first Tamar Randolph.

"'Co'se you is, honey. De conjure man say dat in de th'd generation dey returns to de livin'."

"What kind of conjure man was that, Aunt Phoebe?" Ranny would ask skeptically.

"Nev' mind, honey." Phoebe would say to Tamar. "Dem as is unda believin' ain' no chance t' know 'bout sech."

Well, Maria thought ruefully, Tam was a convert to Phoebe's teachings. She certainly was not an "undisbeliever." It had worried her for a long time, but Knox had said to let her alone with her imagination. They couldn't hurt her if they were properly anchored with practical activities!

Tamar plumped up the pillows: "Shall I tune in the radio for your serial story?" Her fingers moved about the dial of the small radio.

"Ranny is coming to dinner," she said. Her eyes on the numbers. "I really wish he wouldn't tonight."

Maria caught the glimpse of two small frowns between the straight black brows. Signal of disturbance in Tamar's thoughts.

"Oh, it should be a very pleasant occasion. Why don't you call Selby, darling, and ask her in, too. That would make a nice foursome."

"Mother! You really are a whiz!" Tamar gasped at the suggestion.

"Whiz?"

A word meaning marvel. A sage, a master, an unrivaled of chaos. A smoother-over, a Mr. Fix-it, a well, simply a whiz!

Tamar was laughing now, and leaning over, kissed her mother quickly, and squeezed her slender hands. "I'll call Selby. She'll be delighted."

And Selby was delighted. "You dear! Tam! Of course I'll come. Imagine my getting to spend the whole evening with Christopher!"

Tamar stared glumly at the telephone. That wasn't the idea at all she told its indifference.

(To Be Continued)

Outpost Hospital

Report Of Saskatchewan Red Cross Outpost Hospital Service For 1941

Since the opening of the War no attempt has been made to extend this service. There are nine Red Cross outposts operating in the province, and the duty has been to keep units already organized at as high a standard of efficiency as possible.

The outpost hospital work accomplished during 1941 covers the nursing care of 1,450 new adult cases and 381 infants in hospital, requiring a total of 16,379 hospital days.

Additional nursing care was given to 282 homes by nursing visits to district homes by the outpost staffs. These visits were in answer to calls, or to follow up service after discharge from active care in the outposts.

The large number of 1,827 persons were given care at the outposts for accidents and slight illnesses not requiring admission as in-patients.

The three classes of cases comprise a total of 4,050 persons of the nine outpost hospital communities who received nursing service at the hands of Red Cross nurses in Saskatchewan, during 1941, for which department of Red Cross activity was designed and has been continued through its twenty-second year.

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A report of the personnel reveals that one-seventh of the employees at T.C.A. are women.

To-day women, as well as men, are needed to keep planes flying. Training women to do productive machine work in T.C.A. was a radical development, but it has proved worthwhile.

"Co'se you is, honey. De conjure man say dat in de th'd generation dey returns to de livin'."

Women are especially more efficient in repetitive work than men, the superintendent added. Plant authorities state that not only have the women workers brought efficiency and industry with them, but have raised the morale of the shop considerably.

If you were to make a tour of inspection in the plant you'd find Mrs. May MacMaster, an employee of 11 months, adjusting and calibrating a revolution indicator with her work with delicate instruments is exacting. Seen is she about her work that she declares she'll never go back to office work.

An instrument tester is Miss Maxine Dixon, who is fascinated with the delicacy and precision of the instrument with which she works. A large proportion of the instruments are overhauled in this plant for the R.C.A.P. Miss Dixon works with extreme patience, aware that pilots depend upon her for keeping their instruments right for safe flying. If you think heavy and dirty work faze girls you're wrong. Take the accessory shop for instance. It's dirty and the work is heavy, but to Miss Mary Goslak, who is an ignition harness expert, it's fascinating.

Axis Intrigues

Aimed At Stirring Up Revolt In India, It Is Said

Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek's recent visit to Khyber Pass and his address to warlike northwestern frontier tribesmen may help to offset Axis intrigues aimed at stirring up revolt at India's back door, well-qualified observers said.

Private advices reaching London indicate that since the outbreak of war Axis agents have been working among frontier tribes, supplying them with light war equipment, including field wireless stations and machine guns.

More ominous, however, have been reports of activities by Japanese agents who were said to be urging revolt among disgruntled politicians in Kabul, with promises that Afghanistan would receive portions of British Baluchistan and an outlet to the Arabian Sea.

Good Advice

In the grammar lesson one day, the teacher wrote down on the blackboard:

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Gardening

From practically any way you look at it, gardening should prove an excellent investment this year. It is patriotic to grow more vegetables now, to put idle land into use, and it is good, sound common sense, too. Vegetables have been getting more and more expensive in recent weeks and the authorities hold out no hope of bargains this summer either.

Weather was mainly partly to blame for the scarcity last fall. The main reason was the increased demand. In the last year Canada has added something like a million workers to its army of war employed, and still more workers are going to be added in the months ahead. All these people are going to need extra food and fresh vegetables will play a big part in filling their requirements.

And gardening offers another advantage. It is one of the best health tonics the doctor could order. A few hours out among growing flowers and vegetables will work wonders in restoring sanity and balance during these trying times of war.

The war has interfered with a lot of things in Canada, and while gardening is no exception, this interference will be hardly noticed by the average person who orders flowers and vegetable seeds this spring. Because of course, as well as practically all shipments from Great Britain. To meet the usual demand, however, supplies have been developed in Canada and also a wider range has been imported from the United States. Seadmen report no serious shortages. There is likely to be a little change in price but they suggest ordering early, especially where a wide range of varieties of types are wanted.

Biggest crops

Vegetables are the biggest yielding crop one can grow. Not only can most lines be grown close together but with some things like lettuce and carrots, for instance, a second crop can be harvested in a single season.

Small vegetables like lettuce, spinach, carrots and radish require rows about 15 to 20 inches apart. Beets, beans and peas need from 18 to 20 inches between, while potatoes, corn and staked tomatoes must have a couple of feet to 30 inches. Space may be saved with these if something quick-maturing such as lettuce and spinach are planted in between. The bigger things will not need the full room at first and by the time they do, the early crops will be out of the way.

When one is using a horse, garden tractor or a wheel hoe, of course greater space between the rows will be needed.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

TRUTH

Truth is the gravitation principle of the universe, by which it is supported, and in which it inheres.—Everts.

Truth and love are two of the most powerful things in the world; and when they both go together they cannot easily be withstood.—Cudworth.

Error always addresses the passions and prejudices; truth scorns such mean intrigue, and only addresses the understanding and the conscience.—Azel Backus.

In the desolation of human understanding, divine Love hears and answers the human cry for help; and the voice of Truth unveils the divine verities of being which deliver mortals out of the depths of ignorance and vice.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Of all duties, the love of truth, with faith and constancy in it, ranks first and highest. To love God and to love truth are one and the same.—Silvio Pellico.

Religious truth, touch what points of it you will, has always to do with the being and government of God, and is, of course, illimitable in its reach.—Hitchcock.

A Proper Diet

Nutritionist Tells How To Live To Be 150 Years Old

You can live to be 150 years old, if you eat right, according to Dr. Flora Rose, retired dean of the Cornell University home economics department. The 150-year life span can all be enjoyed with vigorous health, too, she said, if the proper diet is followed.

"Nutrition is the key to a life in which one may enjoy the maturity of experience with youthful vigor," she declared.

Dr. Rose's dietary chart to longevity and good health includes consumption of a pint of milk daily, two vegetables, one green and the other yellow and raw; two fruits, one a citrus; and plenty of whole grain bread. "Vitamin concentrates were recommended for persons who lead sedentary lives."

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Grin And Bear It

With many of the country's dentists in military service, toothaches are becoming widespread in Germany. The Koelnische Zeitung of Cologne reported "there simply are not enough dentists." The paper urged the people to be patient, to consult a dentist only "when the pain becomes too great or chewing is impaired seriously."

Machine-gunning a pilot who has bailed out of a crippled warplane is generally considered a highly reprehensible practice. So it occasions no surprise to learn that the Japanese are doing it.

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Mr. E. E. Sharkey left last Tuesday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Carswell at Cranbrook, B.C., and other relatives at various places.

A military whist drive will be held in Hedley's hall on Saturday evening, March 21, sponsored by the C.C.F.

Anyone who purchased Red Cross carnival tickets and wants their money refunded please hand in their tickets to E. W. Carter not later than March 31.

The regular meeting of the Alma Mater and Roseberry Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. Carrington on Thursday, March 26. Mrs. Edwin Elliott will have charge of the devotional period and Mrs. Oldham and Mrs. C. Steele will assist the hostess. Neighbors and friends are always welcome.

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